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DRUG ADDICTS AND DE ADDICTION CENTRES
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of drug addicts identified during the last three years and their age group, State/UT-wise;

(b) the number out of them have been de-addicted during the said period alongwith expenditure incurred for their de-addiction;

(c) the list of recognized/approved centres for de-addiction and the aid/grants they have received during the last three years, State/UT-wise; and

(d) the funds spent for various awareness and de-addiction programmes on alcohol, tobacco and narcotic drugs during the last three years, State-UT-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SMT. SUBBULAKSHMI JAGADEESAN)

(a) & (b) The number of drug addicts registered for treatment in the treatment and rehabilitation centres financed by the Ministry during 2003-04 and 2004-05 is 1,94,787 and 1,72,320 respectively. The State/UT wise figures are at Annexure-I. The figures for the subsequent years are not available.

(b)& (d)The State/UT-wise list is at Annexure-II